

Stuttgart Community Post

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Fall Community Cleanup Scheduled

Fall cleanup is scheduled as part of the Keep Stuttgart Community Clean program. The dates for Robinson and Patch Barracks are Oct. 1 through 5. Kelley Barracks and Panzer Kaserne will hold cleanup Oct. 9 through 12. Organizations are requested to release citizens and military personnel living in government quarters for housing-area cleanup on the following days: Oct. 2 (Robinson), Oct. 3 (Patch), and Oct. 10 and 11 (Kelley and Panzer). Thursdays of the cleanup period are designated junk days for disposal of large, bulky items.

For tips, tasks and other info call your respective installation coordinator: Patch Barracks, 0711-680-5450; Kelley Barracks, 0711-729-2322; Panzer Kaserne, 07031-15-683; and Robinson Barracks 0711-819-6033.

SECTION I OFFICIAL INFO

Numbers To Know...

For emergencies call:

Fire Reporting	0711-680-117
All other (Military Police)	0711-680-116
From DSN phone call	116 or 117
Non-DSN in 0711 prefix	680-116 or 117

For non-emergencies call:

American Red Cross	07031-15-818
Chaplain	0711-680-5000
Education Hotline	0711-680-6121
Emergency Action Center	0711-729-2601
Family Support Center	0711-680-7176
Military Police	0711-680-5262
Personal Health Adviser	0800-825-1600
Road/Weather Conditions	0711-729-2474
Sexual Harassment Hotline	0711-729-2708

Force Protection Safety Precautions

Because of recent terrorist events in the United States, service members, civilians and dependents are reminded to take the following precautions: personnel should remain vigilant and report suspicious vehicles, people and packages to the Military Police; keep all security windows and doors locked, even when you are at home; post emergency telephone numbers next to the telephone.

When traveling by car, keep your car doors locked and windows closed; be careful about what you say in public; watch your personal telephone

conversations; when off-post, dress to blend in, avoid loud conversation; park in well-lit areas and avoid isolated areas. Let immediate family and or friends know your plans and what time you expect to return; avoid large gatherings.

In addition, community members should be aware of any unidentified vehicles parked or operated in a suspicious location on or in the vicinity of U.S. installations, units or any unusual activity within the 6th Area Support Group. Report these immediately to the Military Police, 0711-680-5261. Off-post residents should call 110 for immediate Polizei assistance. Most dispatchers speak English.

Additional security precautions are outlined on the European Command Web site at www.Eucom.mil/Directorates/ECPA/News.

Note Possible Holiday Closures

Oct. 5 is a U.S. European Command and U.S. Army Europe training holiday. Oct. 8 is Columbus Day, providing a four-day weekend opportunity. Expect office and business closures, call ahead for operating hours.

Web Site for Latest Information

All updates and the latest information are available on the 6th Area Support Group Web site bulletin board at www.stuttgart.army.mil/bulletin.

Special Leave Accrual Allowed

Soldiers whose leave was cancelled due to the attacks on the United States can accumulate up to 90 days of leave without losing leave days on

Oct. 1. The special leave accrual in excess of 60 days was granted in a Sept. 18 memorandum from the assistant secretary of defense for force management policy. The authority to accumulate up to 90 days of leave expires on Sept. 30, 2002. Additional instructions are forthcoming on how the special leave accrual will be applied. Soldiers should contact their chains of command for more information as it becomes available.

Mail Restrictions Lifted

The 13 oz restriction on personal mail addressed to the United States has been lifted. Delivery times on some mail may be longer than what was experienced prior to Sept. 11, since mail will be flown to gateways not normally used for military mail. Mail from the United States continues to be erratic as it is also being flown to European international airports not ordinarily used for military mail.

All Flags at Half-staff

All flags in United States Army Europe will remain at half-staff until directed otherwise.

Uniform Reg. During FP Conditions

During Force Protection condition Normal, Alpha and Bravo, wearing military uniforms off United States installations or other controlled environments are at the discretion of the chain of command exercising tactical control for force protection. During Force Protection condition Charlie, wearing of military uniforms off U.S. Installations or other controlled environments is authorized only while traveling between home and work, to official functions and for brief, essential stops at childcare facilities or service stations.

During Force Protection Condition Delta, uniforms will not be worn or openly displayed off U.S. Installations or other controlled environments. These standards apply to all Department of Defense personnel in the United States European Command area of responsibility and do not apply during military mission or operations where the wearing of uniforms is consistent with the mission and mode of travel.

Telephone Number for Phone Problems

To report non-secure telephone problems, call the telephone trouble call helpdesk at 119 or the Patch operators at 0 or 430-8200/civ. 0711-680-8200.

Guidance on DA Civilian Leave

United States Army Europe officials issued guidance for Department of Army employees

stationed in Europe were in a temporary duty, permanent change of station travel or leave status during or immediately following the terrorist attacks in the U.S. The guidance applies to employees who were unable to obtain return transportation to their European permanent duty station during that period.

Employees in TDY or PCS travel status remained in that status until they arrived at their PDS. Employees who were on approved leave and became stranded may be granted excused absence from the ending date of their approved leave period until their return. The amount of excused absence approved for this purpose may not exceed five days.

Employees who were prevented from reporting to work or who faced a personal emergency and who could be spared from their usual responsibilities could have been excused from duty without charge to leave or loss of pay. This did not apply to members of the Guard and Reserve who were called to active military duty during this time. For additional info, go to the Web site www.stuttgart.army.mil/bulletin.

Thrift Savings Plan is Here

Service members can take a fresh step toward retirement investments. The first Thrift Savings Plan enrollment window opens for uniformed service members Oct. 9 through Jan. 31, with the first contributions being deducted in January 2002. After the initial open season TSP enrollment seasons will be offered twice annually: May 15 through July 31 and Nov. 15 through Jan. 31.

TSP is a retirement savings plan allowing members to invest a portion of their monthly base pay and some incentive pay towards tax sheltered investments. The monthly amount allocated toward TSP savings funds will not be taxed until service members withdraw the funds. Service members cannot withdraw the funds until they are 59 and a half-years-old without paying a penalty.

For info visit the TSP Web site at www.tsp.gov or call Army Community Service at 430-7176/civ. 0711-680-7176 to enroll in a monthly TSP information session.

Medical Readiness for Force Protection

To ensure medical readiness of the Force Protection Force each service member who wears glasses must have in their possession two pairs of military issue glasses and the protective mask inserts. Service members needing either item will be seen on a walk-in basis daily, 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Patch Health Clinic, for the duration of the force protection mission. Service Members may bring in their current prescription or glasses to

be read for their prescription. For info contact Capt. Heiby at 430-4332/civ, 0711-680-4332.

Practice Operations Security

All Stuttgart military community members are reminded to practice good operations security. This includes not discussing certain topics away from the work place: personnel and position strength, force protection, logistics and communications. For a more detailed list concerning these individual topic, go to the Web site www.stuttgart.army.mil/weather.

CFC Begins October 1

The Overseas Combined Federal Campaign is nearly here. This year's campaign begins Oct. 1 and lasts until Nov. 16. European Command and 6th Area Support Group are planning a joint kick-off at 10 a.m., Patch Community Club, building 2345. Come help celebrate the start of this worthwhile fund-raising campaign. For info contact 1Lt. Cheman at 421-2829/civ. 0711-729-2829.

Army Knowledge Online Act Required

Every soldier, reservist and Army civilian will be required to have an Army Knowledge Online account by Oct. 1. This requirement was spelled out in an Aug. 8 memorandum from Secretary of the Army Thomas E. White and Army Chief of Staff Gen. Eric K. Shinseki. In the future soldiers, reservists, National Guardsmen and civilians will no longer have to send away for copies of their personnel and financial records. They will be able to access this information through an Army Knowledge Online account. Eventually personnel data can be viewed and updated on the Web.

All Army Knowledge Online users will also be given an e-mail account to use for the rest of their career and into retirement. The e-mail address will stay the same, regardless of a soldier's and civilian's duty station. New soldiers and employees will be eventually issued an Army Knowledge Online account with their identification card. To sign up for an Army Knowledge Online account go to www.us.army.mil and click on "I'm a New User".

Consolidation Arts and Crafts Survey

The 6th Area Support Group is considering consolidating the local Arts and Crafts functions under a single roof at Patch Community Club. The move will help the 6th ASG cut and consolidate community support costs while preserving the quality and diversity of the services offered. The proposed move will mean more driving for some, but the new center will offer expanded services, increased parking and less likelihood services will

be cut in the future. Share your thoughts by completing the Arts/Crafts Survey and returning it to the 6th ASG Headquarters by Oct. 10. To access the survey online, go to the Web site www.stuttgart.army.mil/survey.

Townhall Meeting Rescheduled

The Sept. 26 Stuttgart Military Community Townhall meeting has been tentatively rescheduled for Oct. 25, Community Club, Kelley Barracks.

Solution for Patch Parking Problem

In the spirit of helping our neighbors, it is requested that everyone who lives and works on Patch Barracks please walk to work. There is always a lack of parking on Patch throughout the year, but with the loss of parking spaces due to current security measures, we all need to help on this issue. It is discouraging for those who must drive to Patch to find all public parking spaces occupied while housing area parking spaces are empty. If you can help solve this problem, please give a neighbor a hand.

Report Suspected Espionage Incidents

Community members who encounter a suspicious incident are reminded to not commit themselves to do anything and ask for time to think over any offers. Remember all descriptions and details about locations, people, conversations, vehicles and license plates. Report the incident immediately by calling the Stuttgart Military Intelligence Office, 421-2206/civ. 0711-729-2206.

SERVICES

Lodging Rates for 6th ASG FY2001

The lodging rates for 6th Area Support Group hotels will change for fiscal year 2002. Effective Oct. 1, the new rates will be: Garmisch Loisach Inn suites are \$54 and rooms are \$46; Patch Barracks Swabian Inn suites are \$55, building 2506 rooms are \$34, building 2508 rooms are \$28; Kelley Barracks Hilltop Hotel suites are \$50 and rooms are \$45; and Kelley Barracks Hotel building 3301 suites are \$50 and rooms are \$40, building 3300 suites are \$45, rooms are \$35 and aides are \$25. For info call 430-1700/civ. 0711-680-1700.

Kelley YS is Now Open

Kelley Youth Services, building 3369, has reopened. They offer a variety of middle school/teen programs including: **Power Hour (homework and tutoring)**, **Nike Daily Play**, **Craft Club**, **What's Cookin'**, **Torch Club**, **Photography Club**,

Ultimate Journey, Computer Lab and Leisure/Recreation.

German Language/Culture classes, taught by an experienced German school teacher, will start Oct. 1, meeting every Monday for a month. Children ages four- to seven-years-old meet from 3:45 to 4:45 p.m. and children ages eight- to 12-years-old will meet from 4:45 to 5:45 p.m.

Taekwondo classes for children six years and up start Oct. 2. Classes will meet every Tuesday, 3:45 to 4:45 p.m. Registration is now open for upcoming **YS Basketball**. Call to find out about the multiple-child discount.

Participants in any YS sponsored program must be registered with Central Registration at Patch Barracks. For info or to register for a class, call 421-2548/civ. 0711-729-2548.

TRICARE Plus For Retirees

TRICARE Plus will be available Oct. 1. The new program targets the retiree population by allowing them to enroll with a primary care manager. Under TRICARE Plus, all eligible beneficiaries not enrolled in TRICARE Prime will be able to enroll for Medical Treatment Facility primary care where openings exists at the facility. Additionally, there are no enrollment fees. Access to TRICARE Plus may differ throughout Europe. For info contact your local TRICARE center.

Chaplain Assistance

For chaplain assistance contact the 6th Area Support Group Chaplains office at 0711-680-5000, Patch Barracks; Chaplain Kuhlman at 07031-15313, Panzer Kaserne; and Chaplain Grice at 0711-819-7022, Robinson Barracks. For emergency chaplain coverage after duty hours, contact the military police desk at 0711-680-5262.

Step Circuit Training at Kelley

Take a Step Circuit Training Class offered by a certified instructor Mondays through Thursdays, 6 to 7:10 p.m., Kelley Fitness Center. The total body workout combines aerobic exercise and strength training with weights and resistance tubes. Try a complimentary first class today. Call 0711-457-0835 for more info.

Check Out Sale at RB Thrift Shop

The Robinson Barracks Thrift Shop, located in building 196, is preparing for fall with its end-of-summer sale. Through Oct. 13 almost every item in the shop, except for transformers, will be 50-percent off. This includes all of its German collectibles. Shop operating hours are Thursdays through Saturdays 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Consignments are accepted until 12:30 p.m. For info call 0711-854-242.

ICE Program Requires Customer Input

Did you know when utilizing the Interactive Customer Evaluation system, customers may indicate whether or not they were satisfied with service at a particular facility? If they weren't satisfied and indicate that response, a manager will respond within three working days. The customer must provide a name and phone number or e-mail address if a response is desired.

To access the ICE system and voice any comments and concerns about community facilities and services, go to the 6th ASG Web site at www.stuttgart.army.mil and click on the ICE logo.

Tuesday Special at Patch Theater

Starting Oct. 2, the first Tuesday of every month will be \$1.50 night at Patch Theater. For info call 430-5310/civ. 0711-680-5310.

Patch Thrift Shop Offers Item Variety

Dishes, small appliances, luggage, lamps, linens, sports equipment, clothing and more are available at the Patch Thrift Shop, lower level of building 2307, Washington Square, Patch Barracks. Donations are welcome and clean consignments are accepted from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Shop hours are Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. For info call 430-5510/civ. 0711-680-5510.

Stuttgart Golf Course Now Open

The Stuttgart Golf Course is open for regular business. Call 07141-879-151 for info.

AFN Programming Disruptions

Armed Forces Network customers may experience brief programming interruptions Sept. 30 through Oct. 13 as Europe enters the sun outage period. October 6 and 7 outages will be the longest, lasting up to 20 minutes. Sun outages occur twice a year, in the spring and fall, when satellites eclipse the sun and its signal is overpowered by solar radiation. Outages will affect all satellite communications including AFN radio and television services distributed by the American Forces Radio and Television Service.

New Hours for Grilled Chicken

AAFES Grilled Chicken concession has changed its hours: Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Patch; Wednesdays, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Kelley; Thursdays and Fridays, 10:30 a.m. to

6 p.m. at Patch; and closed Saturdays through Mondays. If there is chicken still available, the concession may stay open until 6:30 p.m.

Travel Voucher Payment Delays

The 208th Finance Office is upgrading its travel voucher payment program in Mannheim, making it currently unavailable for payments. Payments will be delayed 1-to-2 weeks for vouchers submitted after Sept. 4. Your patience is greatly appreciated as it improves its processing capabilities. For info contact 430-7103/civ. 0711-680-7103.

Upcoming Closings, Changes

The **Vehicle and Weapons Registration Office**, Panzer Kaserne, will close Sept. 28 at noon for monthly inventory. It will reopen Oct. 3 (German Unification Day) with limited services.

The **208th Finance Office** will be at reduced manning Oct. 16-18 due to a detachment FTX.

SECTION II ANNOUNCEMENTS

Road Closure at Kelley

Maple Street between buildings 3314 and 3315 and the 6th Area Support Group Command parking area, Kelley Barracks, will be temporarily closed Oct. 4 through 10. An old, underground storage tank is being removed. For info contact 421-2522/civ. 0711-729-2522.

Viva la Familia

All Stuttgart military community members are invited to help celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month at Viva La Familia! Oct. 13, 2 to 5 p.m. at the Swabian Special Events Center, Patch Barracks. This family-oriented fiesta will feature ethnic food sampling, piñata breaking, a guest speaker, patriotic flag displays, cultural displays and more. For info call 421-2892/civ. 0711-729-2892.

Harley Davidson Motorcycle Show

Military Car Sales concession is hosting a Harley Davidson Motorcycle show Oct. 12 through 14 at Patch New Car Sales parking lot, located next to building 2333. See the newest Harley Davidson models and enjoy free food and drinks while you're there. For info call 0711-687-7224.

Heidelberg Bazaar Will Take Place

The annual Heidelberg Holiday will take place Columbus Day weekend, Patrick Henry Village Pavilion. More than 150 vendors will be there

selling diamonds, antiques, Italian porcelain, Polish pottery, wine, cheese, Belgian carpets, Turkish rugs, nesting dolls, Scottish wool and other treasures from around the world.

Shopping hours are Oct. 5, 6 and 7, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., and Oct. 8, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. The bazaar is open to all U.S. identification cardholders. The site is wheelchair friendly, but strollers are not permitted. For info call 06221-601-401.

Native American Indian Heritage Month

The 6th Area Support Group Equal Opportunity office is sponsoring the 2001 Native American Indian Heritage Month. Meetings will be every Wednesday, 1:30 p.m., Kelley Hotel conference room. Committee participation is open to the Stuttgart military community. This year's theme is Strength, Honor and Respect. For info call Master Sgt. Lawson at 421-2892/civ. 0711-729-2892.

Fire Prevention Week

The 6th Area Support Group Fire and Emergency Services has scheduled its Fire Prevention Week for Oct. 9 through 13. The week's events will include fire truck visits to all local Child Development Centers and Department of Defense Elementary schools, fire warden training at each military housing area and a Fire Department Open House. The open house will be Oct. 13, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Stuttgart Army Airfield. Bring the kids to learn about fire safety in a relaxed setting. There'll be plenty of food, beverages and fun for everyone. For info call 421-6192/civ. 0711-729-6192.

Patch Ski Club Oktoberfest Meeting

Join the Patch Ski Club's Oktoberfest meeting Oct. 3, Patch Community Club, building 2345. Doors open at 6:30 p.m., the meeting starts at 7 p.m. There will be typical Oktoberfest food for a nominal charge and live music. The event is open to everyone in the Stuttgart military community. For info check its Web site www.psc-ski.org.

Plan for Heidelberg MWR Expo

The Heidelberg Moral, Welfare and Recreation practitioners training conference Oct. 14 through 18 will take place as scheduled. The expo will offer training for all MWR employees and managers. More than 200 companies demonstrating their products and services will be at the tradeshow. For info visit the Web site www.mwrgermany.com. The registration deadline for commuters is Oct. 8.

CWOC Meeting Announced

Catholic Women of the Chapel will meet

Oct. 5, 10 a.m. at Patch Chapel. The meeting will include saying the Rosary, fellowship and coffee and a Communion Service at noon. For info contact Pam Tipton at 0711-859-9289.

Donations Sought for Deployed Troops

Stuttgart American Red Cross is collecting microwave popcorn and bags of candy for the troops in Kosovo and Bosnia. Donations can be dropped off up to Oct. 15 at the American Red Cross Office, building 2949, Panzer Kaserne.

Disaster Relief Web Site

For those in the 6th Area Support Group family (soldiers, civilian employees and family members) who would like to voluntarily contribute aid to families and victims of last weeks tragedies, the Web site www.opm.gov/cfc/opmmemos/2001/911-Disaster.htm provides a current, updated list of organizations providing disaster relief assistance.

MOPS Announce Regular Meetings

Mothers of Preschoolers began regular meetings Sept. 19. MOPS will continue meeting on the first and third Wednesdays of each month, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., Panzer Chapel. All mothers of children up to 5-years-old are invited. This Christian based organization encourages mothers to be the best mom they can be. The meetings are free to all I.D. holders. There is a free children's program available while moms are recharging their batteries. For info contact Martine Rose at 0711-677-3598 or e-mail roseal@attglobal.net.

Construction at Patch Barracks

Construction on Arkansas Strasse, Patch Barracks, was scheduled to begin Sept. 24 and last through June 2002. Work will be conducted on the sewer lines and several manholes and inlets will be replaced. The street will remain open at all times, but traffic may be restricted to one lane. Parking along the road will also be interrupted. For info contact the Patch Installation Coordinator at 430-5450/civ. 0711-680-5450.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Upcoming Patch High Athletic Events

Patch High School's fall athletic season is in full swing. All Stuttgart community members are encouraged to support our local athletes. The volleyball team plays at home Sept. 29. The tennis team's next home matches will be against Heidelberg Sept. 29 and against Mannheim Oct. 6, 10 a.m., Patch tennis courts. The golf team will

play at home Oct. 4 and 5, Stuttgart golf course. For info contact the Patch High School Athletic Director at 430-8591/civ. 0711-680-8591.

Golf Clubs Needed for Golf Team

The Patch High School Golf Team had a larger than expected turn-out this year, not all of the team members have clubs. If you're interested in donating your old or unused clubs, call Tom Manual at 430-8591/civ. 0711-680-8591.

EDUCATION & TRAINING

U of Maryland Tuition Reimbursement

The University of Maryland is offering a 100 percent service – member – paid – tuition reimbursement for active-duty personnel who were required to withdraw from Term I courses (August through October 2001) because of factors resulting from the Sept. 11 terrorist attack. A special form is available for commanding officer verification.

Students still enrolled, but encountering duty-related difficulties are encouraged to contact their teachers and/or the education center. For info call Panzer Education Center at 431-2506/civ. 07031-15-506.

Check Out Computer Training Classes

The Stuttgart Information Training Center, located in room 117, building 3307E next to the mailroom, Kelley Barracks, provides hands-on computer training courses involving state-of-the-art instruction provided by certified training professionals.

Personnel are encouraged to enroll in the following classes: **Introduction to Office Automation, Windows 2000** Oct. 15; **Introduction to Outlook 2000** Oct. 16 and 17; **Introduction to Excel, Worksheets** Oct. 18; **Intermediate Excel 2000, Charts** Oct. 19; **Introduction to Access 2000** Oct. 23, 24 and 25; **Introduction to Power Point 2000** Oct. 26; **Advanced Access 2000** Oct. 29 and 30; and **Advanced Excel 2000** Oct. 31. For info call 421-2475/civ. 0711-729-2475 or visit the Web site www.stuttgart.army.mil/doim.

Religious Education Classes

Religious Education programs began Sept. 23. Protestant Sunday will be prior to the Patch Collective Protestant Worship, 9:30 to 10:30 a.m., Patch Elementary School, and after the Collective Protestant Worship at Robinson Barracks, 10 to 11 a.m., RB Chapel Annex. You may register prior to Sunday school classes at either location.

Catholic CCD classes will be after the Patch 9 a.m. mass, 10:45 to 11:45 a.m., Patch Elementary School, and prior to the Robinson Barracks 11:30 a.m. mass, 10 to 11 a.m., RB Elementary school. Registration is available at either location prior to the CCD Classes. For info call the Director of Religious Education at 430-7345/civ. 0711-680-7345.

Disaster Services Class Rescheduled

The Stuttgart American Red Introduction to Disaster Services class has been rescheduled to Sept. 29. The free class will take place in building 2949, Panzer Kaserne. For info contact 431-2818/civ. 07031-15-818.

HOBBIES & CRAFTS

Fall Craft Bazaar Seeks Vendors

The Gussy Goose Stuttgart Community Fall Craft Bazaar will be Oct. 27 and 28, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Patch High School forum. The cost is \$5 for a six- to eight-foot table and 10 percent of sales. Set up will take place Oct. 27 from 7 to 10 a.m. All funds collected will defer event expenses and then be distributed to community craft facilities. For info call Laura Brochman, 0711-680-5270.

Patch Arts and Crafts October Classes

Patch Arts and Crafts, located in building 2337 by the fitness center, offers several new classes. **Crabby Apple Basket:** make a cute basket for a gift, teachers love them, class is Oct. 3, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. or 6 to 10 p.m.; **Glory of Autumn:** make a beautiful basket to celebrate the fall season, class is Oct. 17, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. or 6 to 10 p.m.; **Santa:** make a full-bodied Santa complete with bag and toys in time for the holidays, class dates are Oct. 15, 22 and 29 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. or 6 to 9 p.m.; **Luminarias:** make beautiful candle bags to light up your stairwell, class is Oct. 10, 3 to 7 p.m.; **Beginning Stained Glass:** learn how to make a vibrant window hanging made of stained glass, class dates are Oct. 18, 20, 25 and 27 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.; and **Kid's Scarecrow:** make a fun and easy Halloween decoration, class is Oct. 18, 3 to 5 p.m.

Craft center hours are Mondays through Thursdays 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Fridays and Saturdays by appointment. For info call Deanna Walls, 430-7109/civ. 0711-680-7109.

JOB CORNER

YS Sports Needs Volunteers

Due to the increased mission requirements for community service members, Youth Services has lost many of its vital YS sports program volunteers. The Directorate of Community Activities is encouraging any parent with these skills to step forward and volunteer in order to maintain the programs. For details or to sign up please call your local YS today.

Openings at AAFES Facilities

Come join a winning team. Army Air Force Exchange Services is currently accepting applications for store associates at the Patch PX, Robinson Barracks CX, and Patch Shoppette. They are also looking for day shift food service workers at the Patch Food Court. The food court is a perfect opportunity for dependant spouses who are available to work between 10 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. Life style scheduling is available for all positions. Contact the AAFES Human Resources office at 0711-7203-124 or drop off an application at your local facility.

Booster Club Needs Help

Patch American High School Athletic Booster Club needs volunteers to help with concession sales at the home football game Oct. 20. Each shift is an hour long. The money raised is used to support emergency and special monetary needs of all high school sports teams. The football concessions are its number one fundraiser. To volunteer call Cindy Nail at 430-7458/civ. 0711-680-7458.

Swabian Event Center Openings

Looking for extra money? The Swabian Special Event Center needs part-time banquet servers and bartenders. Applications are also being accepted for an assistant manager. Applicants must have experience working with large groups and in food service. Apply Mondays through Wednesdays before noon, Swabian Event Center, building 2505, Patch Barracks. For info call Tammy at 430-8205/civ. 0711-680-8205.

LEISURE TIME

Live Music at the Backlot Club

The Backlot Club, building 2359, Patch Barracks, presents the Brandon Wolfe Band Sept. 29 at 9 p.m. Come listen to one of the greatest country bands in Germany. Alice Cooper's back-up band Clockpeople will be there Oct. 12. They play original music and cover songs

from the 70's, 80's and 90's. For info call 430-7111/civ. 0711-680-7111.

Calling all Singers

Re-experience the joy of singing by joining the Stuttgart Singers. They meet every Monday at 7 p.m., Patch Barracks Chapel. The chorus has several exciting performances planned, including a joint Christmas concert with a brass choir in a 500-year-old German church. The chorus welcomes active duty, civilians, dependents and mature high school students. All voice parts are needed, auditions and the ability to read music are not necessary. For info call Kathy Williams at 07159-44991.

AAFES Movie Schedule

Movies and times are subject to change. For info call theaters or visit the AAFES Web site at www.aafes.com/europe/eucom_consol

Patch	Theater	0711-680-5310	
Sept. 28	7 p.m.	Kiss of the Dragon	R
	9:30 p.m.	Jeepers Creepers	R
Sept. 29	1 p.m.	Cats and Dogs	PG
	4 p.m.	Cats and Dogs	PG
	7 p.m.	Kiss of the Dragon	R
	9:30 p.m.	Jeepers Creepers	R
Sept. 30	4 p.m.	Kiss of the Dragon	R
	7 p.m.	Jeepers Creepers	R
Oct. 1	7 p.m.	Jeepers Creepers	R
Oct. 2	7 p.m.	Kiss of the Dragon	R
Oct. 3	7 p.m.	Pootie Tang	PG-13
Oct. 4	7 p.m.	Pootie Tang	PG-13

RB	Theater	0711-819-6137
Sept. 28	- Oct. 4	To be posted in the theater

Corso Theater (Hauptstr. 6, Vaihingen): For info in English and German call 0711-734-916.

"I Love You" Musical Tickets Available

Don't miss the next musical Stuttgart Entertainment Branch production -- I Love you, You're Perfect, Now Change! If you've ever been in a relationship, tried to understand a relationship or watched someone else's relationship -- this musical is for you! The show takes a humorous look at the evolution of relationships and everything that can happen.

A light buffet will be served prior to the show which audience-goers are sure to enjoy. Ask for details when call to reserve your tickets.

In light of the recent tragedy, performances will now be Sept. 28, 29, Oct. 12, 13 and 14, 7:30 p.m. in the Patch Community Club, building 2345, Patch Barracks. Tickets are \$14 or 30 marks for adults and \$12 or 26 marks for students.

Due to heightened security reservations are recommended for all U.S. identification card holders and are required for local national patrons. LN's must adhere to the reservation deadlines: Sept. 28 and 29 shows, reservation deadline is Sept. 26, 4 p.m.; Oct. 12, 13, and 14 shows, reservation deadline is Oct. 10, 4 p.m. The musical contains adult subject matter and is recommended for mature audiences.

Jekyll and Hyde Production Suspended

Due to tragic world events, production of Jekyll and Hyde has been temporarily suspended. Many thanks to all who auditioned. As soon as more information is available, an update will be issued.

Season Tickets Now Available

As the Stuttgart Theater Center's productions grow in popularity and are often sold out, its season ticket program is your best investment. This year's exciting season includes Home for the Holidays, Art, The Secret Garden, The Graduate, No Way to Treat a Lady and much more. Tickets are \$78 for adults and \$64 for children/students. For info call the Stuttgart Entertainment Branch, building 3319, Kelley Barracks, or call 421-2796/civ. 0711-729-2796 Tuesdays to Fridays 12:30 to 5:30 p.m.

TRADING POST

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For Sale/Vehicles:

'81 BMW 520i, 4 speed, 135,000 km, runs well, good body, good interior, Pioneer CD stereo, snow tires, inspection good until May 2002. Has given good service as a commuter car for the last 18 months and taken my family to Paris, Salzburg, and Bellagio (Swiss Autobahn tag current) but I am trading up to a newer model, \$1400. Call Sam at 0178-568-7557.

'01 BMW X5, 3.0L, 6-cyl, silver, gray leather interior, only 5,400 miles, 4WD, US specs, automatic w/Steptronic, all power, AM/FM cassette w/6CD changer, Xenon headlights, power driver seat with memory, auto climate control w/separate temp controls for front and rear, tinted rear windows, built-in sun

shades for rear windows, keyless entry, alarm, much more, \$39,500 Firm, 0711-729-6093 (daytime) or 0711-678-7173 (nights & weekends).

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'89 Porsche 944, US Specs, 80,000 miles, 5 speed, cruise, inspec. good through July 02, \$6700.00 OBO, call Marc Franken at 431-2858 or 0711-722-2833.

'96 Volvo 850 wagon; Burgundy; sand interior; dealer maintained; 73,000 miles; 5-speed trans; power windows, door locks and driver's seat w/ memory; heated front seats; alarm system; 4 add. rims w/ winter tires; Thule roof rack, cargo cover, AM/FM cassette; individual heating and AC; can be seen at the Volvo dealer off post; inspection good until May 02; \$12,996 OBO. Call Larry Burges at 430-5361 or 0821-267-9582 or e-mail burges@debitel.net.

'97 VW Polo, hatchback, navy blue, gray cloth interior, 4-dr, German specs, 5-speed manual, 4 cylinders, front-wheel drive, rear-window defogger and wiper, AM/FM radio w/ cassette player, 51,000 miles, avg. 33 m.p.g., dealer maintained, available after Sept. 24, must sell before Oct. 5, asking \$4,000 (20% off German blue book value). Call Joshua Lutchendorf at 430-5000 or 0711-728-9784.

'92 Yamaha, XJ900, only 34,000 miles, excellent condition, great for getting to work and joy riding. \$1,800 OBO. Call Tim at (H) 0711-699-2180 (W) DSN 434-5563.

For Sale/Miscellaneous:

IKEA Kitchen, 240 cm x 240 cm, pine design, black counter tops (2), 1 ½ sinks, all plumbing connections except faucet: 4 burner ceramic stove top with exhaust hood. 8 cabinets (4 upper and 4 lower) (two doubles: one w/carousal and one double (directly under sink); 2 w/draws: one w/5 and one w/2. 19 months old, excellent condition. Originally paid 5600 marks, asking 2000 marks. Kitchen unit currently assembled, viewing available. Beanie Babies: 3-piece election year 2000 (Lefty, Righty and USA) All three for \$75. Full size bed boxspring, mattress and frame, \$250 OBO, 14 months old, like new. Call 07031-384646, ask for MAC.

Two original Mort Kunstler prints for sale complete with certificates of authenticity. Both unframed and in perfect condition: Thunder in the Valley, Battle of New Market, Charge of the VMI cadets, May 15, 1864, \$500.00 (\$150 below current retail value) and Shenandoah Sunrise, Battle of Cedar Creek, Gen John Gordon captures Gen Sheridan's HQ, Oct 19, 1864, \$450.00 (\$100 below current retail value). Call Mike at 0877-806-5533.

220v air conditioner, bought at the PX for \$500, sell for \$250, only used a few days, we are moving. Free standing unit; 220. Call 07031-239-394 or e-mail kim333@hotmail.com.

General Electric 27" TV with remote, excellent condition, \$75 OBO. For more info call 07031-682-299 evenings, or e-mail dybeck76@hotmail.com.

Four-piece children's bedroom set, multicolored (red, green, yellow, blue), consists of: two-shelf bookcase, nightstand w/ one drawer and shelf, three-drawer, two-shelf dresser, two-drawer, three-shelf, two-rod wardrobe dresser combo. Price is \$100. Call Don or Theresa at 0711-856-8594. Please no calls after 8 p.m.

Large dog kennel, \$30; baby changing table, natural color, \$15; pack-n-play, \$15; cradle plus cradle accessory set, white, \$50. Call Sabine at 0711-810-6477

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Looking for a duplex or townhouse to rent, approx. 140 sq. meters, needs to be within 20 minutes of the airfield and/or Kelley Barracks. Call Dave Brackney at 674-7143 or e-mail d_rbrack@hotmail.com.

The Stuttgart Boy Scouts are in need of a 220v deep freezer. If you have one to donate, please call Ty Stearn at 421-2834/civ. 0711-729-2834.

Used pre-paid cell phone. Call 0711-674-2861 or e-mail skjaskot@yahoo.com.

Free:

Free Cat to a good home, great family pet, accessories included. Call 856-8269.

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